

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Riviere et al. Serial No.: 09/027,670 Filed: 23 February 1998

For: METHODS, SYSTEMS AND

PRODUCTS FOR DETERMINING

DRUG WITHDRAWAL INTERVALS

Group Art Unit: 3736 Examiner: Not Assigned

Date: 27 July 1998

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

PETITION FOR A ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) FOR SUBMITTING MISSING PARTS

Sir:

The applicant hereby petitions for a one (1) month extension of time for submitting the Declaration and Small Entity Statement for the above-identified application. The Notice to File Missing Parts of Application-Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533) was mailed 6 May 1998, and applicant is given one month from said filing date or two months from the filing date within which to file the missing parts. Thus, the missing parts were originally due on 6 July 1998. This Petition thus requests that the due date for the missing parts be extended to 6 August 1998.

The required fee [37 C.F.R. 1.17 (\$110.00)] is enclosed; any additional fee or refund associated with this Petition may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0220

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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Date of Signature: 27 July 1998